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Property Crimes in the Foothills Area Command January 3, 2019

3 Stolen Vehicles: 2800-block of Lexington Pl NE, 700-block of Horseshoe Tr SE, 11200-block of Montgomery Blvd NE.

1 Residential Burglary: 14100-block of Domingo Rd NE.

3 Auto Burglaries: 3200-block of Christine St NE, 3200-block of Pitt St NE, 3100-block of Lori Pl NE.

Entries: made by breaking windows. Left vehicle unlocked. Vehicle door lock that was not repaired by owner from a previous auto burglary provided entry for auto burglary on 1/3/19.

Items left in unattended vehicles that were stolen: Tools. Electronics and IDs from unlocked vehicle. Back pack, credit cards, checkbook, IDs, work ID and work access keys, wire cut from ignition in failed attempt to steal the vehicle.

Thursday's property crimes show that auto theft and auto burglary were occurring at the same rates in the Foothills Area Command. Two of three auto burglaries appear to be preventable crimes: just locking the vehicle and removing articles from inside the vehicle when parking can go a long way to prevent these incidents. Not promptly repairing damages to a vehicle also aided an avenue for an auto burglar to strike our victim a second time.

Be safe! Jill Garcia, Crime Prevention Specialist / ICPS, NCPS –Foothills Area Command (505) 332-5240